

## **REQUIREMENTS FOR CONDUCTING LEAD-BASED PAINT MANAGEMENT ACTIVITIES IN NORTH CAROLINA**

This listing provides a partial synopsis of requirements and regulations affecting contractors and firms performing lead-based paint management activities in North Carolina. A brief discussion of some of the regulatory requirements is included. It is the responsibility of the contractor to be familiar with pertinent regulations. Feel free to direct any general questions or comments to:

NC Department of Health and Human Services  
Division of Public Health  
Occupational and Environmental Epidemiology Branch  
Health Hazards Control Unit  
1912 Mail Service Center  
Raleigh, NC 27699-1912  
Telephone: 919-733-0820

### **Requirements for Lead-Based Paint Activities in Target Housing and Child-Occupied Facilities**

(40 CFR Part 745, Subpart L--Lead-Based Paint Activities;  
NC Gen. Stat. 130A-453.01-453.11)

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### **Lead-based Paint Hazard Management Program (LHMP)**

(NC Gen. Stat. 130A, Article 19A; 10A N.C.A.C. 41C .0801-.0809)

The LHMP statutes and rules specify requirements pertaining to:

- 1) Certification of persons and firms conducting lead-based paint management activities;
- 2) Obtaining and maintaining training provider and training course accreditation;
- 3) Standards for conducting Lead-based Paint Activities; and
- 4) Obtaining a permit prior to conducting lead-based paint removal projects.

For more information about the administration of this program in North Carolina, contact:

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Division of Public Health  
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### **NC Occupational Safety and Health Standards**

(29 CFR 1910.1025 for General Industry; 29 CFR 1926.62 for Construction)

The lead standards apply to all employers with workers exposed to lead. If airborne lead is above the Action Level--30 micrograms per cubic meter ( $\mu\text{g}/\text{m}^3$ ), employers must establish an air monitoring program. If airborne lead is above the Permissible Exposure Limit, 50  $\mu\text{g}/\text{m}^3$ , employers must establish a program with engineering controls, respiratory protection, personal protective equipment, administrative controls, housekeeping, medical surveillance, and worker training to reduce lead exposures.

For more information, contact:

NC Department of Labor  
OSH Division  
Bureau of Consultative Services  
4 West Edenton Street  
Raleigh, NC 27601  
Telephone: 919-807-2899

NC Department of Labor  
OSH Division  
Bureau of Education, Training &  
Technical Assistance  
4 West Edenton Street  
Raleigh, NC 27601  
Telephone: 919-807-2875  
1-800-LABOR-NC  
(1-800-522-6762)

### **NC Childhood Lead Poisoning Prevention Program**

(NC Gen Stat 130A-131.5; 10A NCAC 41C Section .3100)

The Childhood Lead Poisoning Prevention Program specifies requirements for the following:

- 1) Reporting of elevated blood levels in children;
- 2) Examination and testing of children for lead poisoning;
- 3) Investigation to determine how a child may have become lead poisoned; and,
- 4) Notifications to property owners and abatement of lead poisoning hazards.

For more information about the administration of this program in North Carolina, contact:

Ed Norman, Program Manager  
Children's Environmental Health Branch  
Division of Environmental Health  
NC Department of Environment and Natural Resources  
1632 Mail Service Center  
Raleigh, NC 27699-1632  
919-715-5381

### **XRF Licensing**

X-ray fluorescence (XRF) instruments utilized for detecting lead in paint must be registered with the North Carolina Division of Radiation Protection. For information on requirements for using these instruments in North Carolina, contact:

Division of Radiation Protection  
NC Department of Environment and Natural Resources  
3825 Barrett Drive  
Raleigh, NC 27609-7221  
919-571-4141

### **Requirements for Disposal of Solid and Hazardous Wastes**

The North Carolina Department of Environment and Natural Resources (DENR), Division of Waste Management regulates the disposal of wastes in permitted solid waste landfills. Building components--windows, doors, etc.--may be disposed in some permitted landfills. Final acceptance of the waste is the decision of the local landfill operator, who should be contacted prior to transporting the materials to the landfill.

Certain hazardous wastes may be disposed in specially permitted landfills. For information on the criteria for characterizing a waste as hazardous and for information on disposal requirements, contact:

Mr. Labeed Kady  
Hazardous Waste Section  
Division of Waste Management  
1646 Mail Service Center  
Raleigh, NC 27699-1646  
919-733-2178

**Transportation**  
(49 CFR 173.1090)

The NC Department of Transportation enforces requirements for transporting and manifesting lead-containing waste. For more information, contact:

W.T. Keel, Program Administrator  
Enforcement Section  
NC Division of Motor Vehicles  
1100 New Bern Avenue  
Raleigh, NC 27697  
Telephone: 919-733-4077

**Licensing for Contractors**

Licensing is required for performing general contract work in North Carolina. For more information, contact:

NC Licensing Board for General Contractors  
P.O. Box 17187  
Raleigh, NC 27619  
Telephone: 919-571-4183

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